Clearing of Electronics Projects of Punjab, Uttar Pradesh and Andhra Pradesh

1851. SHRI DEBENDRA NATH BARMAN: Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) what are the conditions under which the electronics projects of Punjab and Uttar Pradesh were cleared in record time, giving project-wise details;

(b) what are the conditions for clearing a similar project in Andhra Pradesh; and

(c) whether there is any difference in those conditions; if so, what are the project-wise details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY AND THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENTS OF OCEAN DEVELOPMENT, ATOMIC ENERGY, ELECTRONICS AND SPACE (SHRI K. R. NARAYANAN): (a) The details with regard to clearances given, together with the conditions of the Colour Picture Tube Projects in Punjab and Uttar Pradesh are given in the enclosed Statement. (*See* below).

(b) A final decision on a similar proposal of Andhra Pradesh has yet to be taken by the government for the following reasons:—

(i) The proposal involves majority foreign equity participation by M|s Philps Holland;

(ii) The payment terms as well as the investment in imported capital goods proposed were higher than in the other proposals and therefore needed clarifications from the collaborator;

(iii) The longer time taken by M/s. Andhra Pradesh Electronics Development Corporation (APEDC) in furnishing the relevant information.

(c) Does not arise.

Statement

Details of Colour Picture Tube (CT) Projects in Punjab and Uttar Pradesh

	M/s Punjab Display Devices Ltd.	M/s Untron Colour Picture Tubes Ltd.
No. & Date of application	1341 (81)-IL 8-9-81	1727(82)-IL 10-11-82 Received on 11-11-82
LI No. & Date	LI: 38(82) 27-1-82	LI : 737 (1983) 15-11-83
IL NO. & Date	CIL: 331 (86) 28-8-86	CIL: 329 (86) 25-8-86
Annual Capacity	4·00 lakh nos.	4·00 lakh nos.
Location of Unit	SAS Nagar, Distt. Ropar Punjab	Sahibabad. Distt. Ghaziabad, U.P.
No. & Date of Comp. (FC&CG) appln.	131(83)-Comp. 24-11-83 Recd. on 19-11-83	125 (85-Comp. 17-7-85 Recd. on 19-7-85
Value of CG approved	Rs. 24·93 Crores	Applied for CG worth Rs. 29·26 crores Out of which CG worth Rs. 3·7267 crores has been cleared for phase 0 and the remaining part is under consideration.

	M/s. Punjab Display Devices Ltd.	M/s. Uptron Colour Picture Tubes Ltd.
FC approval No. & Date	FC-131 (83) Comp. 12-3-84	FC: 125(85) Comp. 2-12-85
Same of Collaborator	M/s Hitachi Ltd. Japan	M/s Toshiba Corp. and M/s Mitsubishi Corp. Japan
Terms of Collaboration		
(a) Lumpsum know-how Fee	Yen 200 Million subject to taxes. Payment for design Engg., etc. Yen 150 million subject to taxes. These payments are to be made in standard 3 instalments	Yen 680 million subject to taxes to be paid in 5 instalments.
(b) Royalty	3% on internal Sales and 5% on exports subject to taxes.	Phase—O—NIL Phase-I Yen 150 per tube without gun manufacture and Yen 180 per tube with gun manufacture. Phase—II Yen 450 per tube for 20" Yen 350 per tube for 14" and Yen 540 per tube for 21" FS. The royalty is to be paid for 7 years and is subject to an overall ceiling of 5% of annual turnover minus landed cost of imported components.
(c) Foreign Equity participation if any.	NIL	18·50%
(d) Duration of agreement	8 years	10 years
Remarks.		They have also obtained a SIA Registration for a capacity of 7·50 lakh nos. per annum.

Delay in Loan for Durgapur Projects Limited

†1852. SHRI M. A. BABY:
SHRI RAMNARAYAN GOSWAMI:
SHRI MOSTAFA BIN QUASEM:

Will the PRIME MINISTER be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government are aware that inordinate delay by Industrial Development Bank of India in releasing loan for revamping flood damaged cokeoven batteries of Durgapur Projects Limited, resulted in loss of production as well as escalation of cost of much needed repair.

(b) if so, what steps were taken to release the loan;

(c) what are the reasons for such delay by the IDBI; and

(d) whether IDBI will also share the burden of escalation and production loss of the Durgapur Projects Limited?

†Previously Unstarred Question 1325 transferred from the 9th March, 1987.